

Table II.B.3.b.(1)(1997) Percent of private-sector full-time employees eligible for health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and State: United States, 1997 (40 States are shown separately)

Division and State	Total	Less than 10 employees	10 - 24 employees	25 - 99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	88.6%	92.4%	91.1%	89.1%	87.1%	88.1%	90.6%	88.0%
New England:								
Maine	88.6%	91.8%	92.9%	97.1%	92.9%	79.7%	94.2%	86.1%
Massachusetts	89.8%	80.4%	91.8%	95.0%	89.1%	90.5%	88.6%	90.2%
Connecticut	92.7%	91.9%	96.5%	97.4%	92.0%	91.1%	93.9%	92.1%
Rhode Island	92.7%	87.6%	95.1%	92.3%	91.7%	93.9%	90.6%	93.5%
Middle Atlantic:								
New York	90.0%	89.6%	95.5%	89.7%	88.9%	90.0%	89.9%	90.1%
New Jersey	87.7%	92.1%	98.1%	86.0%	85.6%	87.1%	90.9%	86.7%
Pennsylvania	91.3%	92.7%	92.3%	94.0%	93.9%	88.9%	93.1%	90.7%
East North Central:								
Ohio	90.8%	94.7%	95.5%	80.0%	93.8%	92.4%	85.5%	92.2%
Indiana	92.5%	92.8%	95.8%	90.8%	91.0%	93.2%	93.9%	92.2%
Illinois	87.5%	92.4%	97.1%	85.3%	84.8%	87.3%	90.5%	86.6%
Michigan	90.8%	93.8%	83.4%	90.6%	92.4%	91.1%	87.7%	91.8%
Wisconsin	88.0%	94.2%	93.8%	89.7%	83.7%	87.3%	93.0%	86.5%
West North Central:								
Minnesota	93.2%	92.6%	91.0%	97.2%	87.9%	94.4%	92.7%	93.4%
Iowa	89.9%	93.4%	97.6%	90.5%	91.3%	87.6%	93.6%	88.9%
Missouri	88.9%	92.0%	87.0%	86.0%	81.6%	92.0%	86.5%	89.6%
Kansas	91.2%	92.9%	93.9%	92.8%	91.4%	89.2%	92.7%	90.6%
South Atlantic:								
Maryland	87.1%	97.1%	77.7%	89.5%	87.1%	87.0%	85.1%	87.8%
District of Columbia	92.0%	99.3%	100.0%	95.1%	82.9%	91.6%	98.8%	88.6%
Virginia	89.7%	95.0%	98.2%	89.9%	89.9%	87.8%	96.0%	88.0%
North Carolina	93.4%	96.1%	93.3%	95.5%	90.6%	93.5%	95.0%	93.0%
South Carolina	91.9%	91.4%	93.6%	89.3%	92.1%	92.2%	91.7%	92.0%
Georgia	87.0%	99.0%	96.0%	93.6%	96.2%	78.8%	98.1%	84.3%
Florida	85.3%	90.3%	91.3%	90.4%	80.9%	85.0%	90.4%	84.0%
East South Central:								
Kentucky	87.3%	90.4%	89.4%	89.1%	91.0%	84.2%	90.0%	86.6%
Tennessee	90.1%	96.9%	92.8%	93.7%	94.1%	87.0%	93.3%	89.5%
Alabama	94.6%	95.7%	96.5%	91.7%	92.1%	96.5%	95.5%	94.4%
Mississippi	92.3%	93.9%	89.4%	94.4%	89.4%	92.9%	93.8%	91.7%
West South Central:								
Arkansas	88.8%	90.0%	92.5%	88.1%	90.7%	87.7%	92.6%	88.0%
Louisiana	80.1%	95.9%	63.0%	84.1%	80.1%	86.1%	73.6%	83.9%
Oklahoma	89.2%	90.4%	92.3%	90.8%	84.8%	90.1%	91.8%	88.4%
Texas	84.7%	99.2%	96.9%	86.4%	81.1%	82.7%	95.9%	82.2%
Mountain:								
Colorado	90.6%	93.6%	87.6%	84.5%	90.6%	93.0%	89.4%	90.9%
Arizona	90.6%	90.1%	87.1%	89.7%	86.8%	92.7%	89.6%	90.9%
Utah	89.0%	97.6%	87.6%	91.7%	76.8%	91.2%	93.1%	87.8%
Nevada	81.8%	92.3%	79.8%	78.3%	80.8%	82.0%	81.5%	81.9%
Pacific:								
Washington	93.0%	96.2%	94.8%	92.2%	90.9%	92.9%	95.6%	91.8%
Oregon	85.9%	85.6%	85.3%	78.3%	83.6%	90.1%	85.8%	85.9%
California	85.3%	88.2%	89.6%	87.5%	84.4%	84.0%	86.3%	85.1%
Alaska	87.3%	92.1%	89.2%	88.8%	84.4%	86.4%	91.0%	85.7%
Hawaii	92.0%	94.6%	95.5%	95.5%	92.8%	88.1%	95.2%	90.4%
States not shown separately	87.0%	93.9%	89.4%	86.8%	77.0%	89.8%	91.3%	85.3%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Cost and Financing Studies. 1997 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey - Insurance Component.

Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the [Technical Appendix](#).

Table II.B.3.b.(1)(1997) Standard error for percent of private-sector full-time employees eligible for health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and State: United States, 1997 (40 States are shown separately)

Division and State	Total	Less than 10 employees	10 - 24 employees	25 - 99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	0.51%	0.87%	1.08%	1.00%	1.32%	0.82%	0.81%	0.60%
New England:								
Maine	2.47%	2.71%	2.74%	1.64%	4.41%	4.98%	1.44%	3.66%
Massachusetts	2.25%	6.03%	10.09%	1.50%	4.05%	2.13%	4.14%	1.29%
Connecticut	1.49%	2.18%	1.67%	1.32%	3.82%	3.39%	1.38%	2.15%
Rhode Island	1.35%	2.47%	4.58%	2.42%	3.23%	2.60%	2.12%	1.56%
Middle Atlantic:								
New York	1.33%	3.32%	1.94%	3.41%	2.96%	2.60%	1.94%	1.69%
New Jersey	2.37%	2.67%	0.99%	5.03%	6.09%	3.49%	3.58%	2.80%
Pennsylvania	0.85%	1.88%	2.21%	1.21%	3.66%	2.13%	1.09%	1.28%
East North Central:								
Ohio	1.12%	1.60%	1.29%	5.66%	1.60%	2.59%	4.75%	0.99%
Indiana	1.12%	2.08%	2.48%	2.00%	3.79%	1.79%	1.86%	1.43%
Illinois	2.08%	2.13%	1.59%	4.82%	3.26%	3.15%	3.87%	2.46%
Michigan	1.72%	2.12%	4.37%	2.64%	2.61%	3.37%	3.42%	1.73%
Wisconsin	1.57%	2.08%	3.73%	2.77%	3.76%	2.88%	2.16%	1.91%
West North Central:								
Minnesota	1.42%	3.59%	3.20%	1.08%	6.32%	2.09%	2.14%	2.15%
Iowa	2.18%	3.05%	1.93%	2.92%	3.77%	3.08%	2.25%	2.18%
Missouri	1.71%	1.80%	10.19%	6.25%	5.54%	1.72%	4.20%	2.17%
Kansas	1.80%	5.18%	2.50%	2.70%	5.56%	3.18%	2.40%	2.35%
South Atlantic:								
Maryland	2.87%	1.01%	5.97%	3.49%	4.01%	3.68%	3.18%	3.28%
District of Columbia	1.86%	0.32%	0.66%	2.24%	4.59%	3.08%	0.80%	2.09%
Virginia	1.72%	3.93%	0.65%	2.52%	2.73%	2.73%	1.83%	2.25%
North Carolina	0.74%	2.22%	3.72%	2.51%	3.51%	1.21%	1.27%	1.03%
South Carolina	1.56%	2.64%	3.20%	2.16%	4.58%	2.10%	1.97%	2.22%
Georgia	3.19%	0.96%	10.70%	2.88%	1.65%	4.83%	1.21%	3.57%
Florida	2.24%	2.15%	3.39%	2.09%	4.86%	3.59%	1.53%	2.81%
East South Central:								
Kentucky	2.34%	2.48%	4.48%	9.99%	2.03%	3.57%	2.13%	2.51%
Tennessee	1.63%	1.32%	4.00%	2.68%	2.10%	2.65%	2.99%	1.80%
Alabama	1.17%	1.22%	1.41%	3.51%	2.12%	1.12%	2.22%	1.41%
Mississippi	1.51%	1.90%	2.53%	2.37%	3.03%	1.88%	1.23%	2.04%
West South Central:								
Arkansas	1.60%	2.41%	2.15%	10.86%	6.67%	2.81%	1.94%	1.95%
Louisiana	3.87%	2.57%	8.76%	4.48%	4.60%	3.75%	6.60%	3.05%
Oklahoma	2.08%	4.01%	2.83%	3.30%	4.37%	2.43%	1.50%	2.68%
Texas	1.83%	0.40%	2.12%	1.88%	4.30%	3.03%	1.75%	2.19%
Mountain:								
Colorado	1.12%	1.79%	6.60%	4.09%	5.29%	2.38%	2.67%	1.88%
Arizona	1.54%	2.96%	2.83%	2.62%	4.25%	2.66%	2.99%	1.64%
Utah	2.79%	2.75%	3.43%	3.45%	8.34%	3.63%	2.00%	3.20%
Nevada	2.42%	3.20%	3.96%	5.15%	6.12%	3.60%	3.44%	2.98%
Pacific:								
Washington	1.07%	1.67%	1.36%	5.98%	2.15%	2.01%	2.29%	1.52%
Oregon	2.85%	5.78%	4.75%	7.31%	4.42%	3.92%	2.63%	3.26%
California	2.01%	4.44%	4.04%	2.68%	4.42%	3.09%	2.56%	2.05%
Alaska	1.68%	6.73%	2.28%	4.38%	4.04%	3.26%	3.12%	2.99%
Hawaii	1.47%	1.45%	0.93%	0.60%	2.11%	2.72%	0.83%	2.00%
States not shown separately	2.19%	1.39%	3.18%	3.34%	5.26%	2.68%	1.40%	2.66%

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